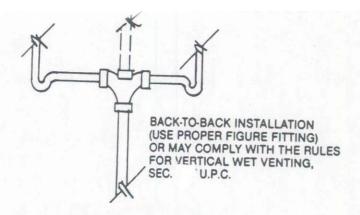


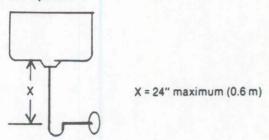
## TRAP ARM/TAIL PIECE (P12)

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## **Tailpieces**

The vertical distance between a fixture outlet and the trap weir shall be as short as practicable, but in no case shall the tailpiece from any fixture exceed twenty-four (24) inches (0.6 m) in length. (See Fig. 7-11.) This pipe is considered to be open drain piping and should be kept as short as possible. This distance requirement also applies to tailpieces in combination waste and vent systems.



Standpipes for clotheswashers are an exception to the twenty-four (24) inch (0.6 m) requirement as the standpipe is considered to be a receptor rather than a tailpiece. Washing machine standpipes shall extend not more than thirty (30) inches (0.76 m), nor less than eighteen (18) inches (0.46 m) above their trap. (See Fig. 7-12.)

